

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Bhargava et al. Confirmation No: 5926

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For: Liquefaction Process

**RESPONSE TO NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT AND SECOND PRELIMINARY
AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This paper is being filed in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed December 2, 2008. Applicants herewith submit a second preliminary amendment in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121. Entry of the amendment is respectfully requested

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3.

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